

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L TEHRAN 02789

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PEPR  
SUBJ: IRAN PARTICIPATIN IN U.N. FORCE

REF: A. TEHRAN 2721 B. STATE 072027

1. FOREIGN MINISTER KHALATBARY TOOK ME ASIDE THIS MORNING PRIOR TO NOW RUZ SALAAM TO TELL ME THAT SHAH HAD JUST DECIDED TO ACCEDE TO WALDHEIM REQUEST TO DEPLOY IRANIAN PEACEKEEPING CONTINGENT FROM GOLAN HEIGHTS TO SOUTH LEBANON. HE SAID SHAH HAD AGREED RELUCTANTLY AND ONLY AFTER UNSYG HAD ASSURED HIM THIS WOULD BE TEMPORARY MEASURE, AFTER WHICH OTHER CONTINGENTS WOULD REPLACE IRANIANS IN SOUTH LEBANON.

2. I TOOK OCCASION TO PROVIDE KHALATBARY WITH REPLIES TO QUESTIONS HE HAD EARLIER ASKED ABOUT SOVIET ATTITUDE TOWARDS PEACEKEEPING FORCE AND ABOUT METHOD OF FINANCING TO BE USED. HE REITERATED STATEMENT THAT IRAN WOULD NOT RPT NOT ASK FOR COMPENSATION FOR ITS FORCES. HE ALSO ASSURED SOVIETS WOULD REFUSE TO PAY THEIR SHARE OF ARTICLE 17 EXPENSES.

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3. KHALATBARY, IN TELLING ME OF SHAH'S DECISION, POINTED OUT THAT CONTINGENT TO BE REDEPLOYED CONSTITUTED ENTIRE IRANIAN FORCE CURRENTLY IN GOLAN.

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